

TEXAS WILL PAY HOMAGE TO THE ONION SATURDAY

"Onion Day" Will Be Observed Over State; 3000 Cars Shipped This Year.

Austin, Texas, May 28.—(Everybody will eat onions in Texas Saturday for the third time "Onion Day" will be observed as an annual event. The famous Texas Bermuda onion, which is so highly prized in the northern markets, is not without honor in its own country, and the citizens of this state will pay homage to the product that has brought millions of dollars to its growers and health and happiness to its consumers.

The Texas Bermuda onion does not bear the stigma of some of its more odoriferous kinsmen. The fresh white-skinned Bermuda, grown in the rich soil of south Texas and ripened under the warm rays of the semi-tropical sun is as highly prized for its flavor as an apple. In fact, there are many people who eat the Bermuda onions as they would apples, selecting the new bulbs. The old onions have a much stronger flavor than the fresh ones.

For a nerve tonic and a general system improver, the Bermuda onion is said to be without an equal, especially when consumed uncooked. It is also said to be an excellent complexion beautifier, on account of the large amount of sulphur it contains. This fact is attested by the unusual attractiveness of the women and girls of the Laredo section of Texas, the principal center of this vegetable industry, where the onion displaces fruits as an appetizer and relish.

Huge Crop Shipped.
The last shipment of Bermudas are just being made out of the south Texas onion fields. While exact figures have not yet been compiled on this crop, it is estimated that it will have taken at least 2,000 cars to hold the 1914 crop. Harvesting began in the Laredo section about the middle of April and lasted for a little more than a month. It is more northerly onion growing regions around Cotulla and Carrizo Springs the season is slightly later.

There are only a few localities in the state that are adapted to the culture of the Bermuda onion. It takes a peculiar soil as well as certain climatic conditions to produce a bulb that has the size and flavor which has given such fame to the Texas product, such as grown in the Laredo region and other parts of the Rio Grande valley and south Texas.

The discovery of the adaptability of those soils to the Bermuda variety of onions has meant millions of dollars to growers and land owners. In the Laredo region, land which was formerly worth from \$15 to \$25 per acre now ranges in value from \$250 to \$500 an acre. Very little of it, however, can be bought at these prices. The owner of an onion farm has an investment which pays such huge profits that he is not willing to part with his money producing plant, even at fabulous prices.

HARVESTING GRAIN AT MESA.
Mesa, Ariz., May 28.—The grain harvest season will soon be in full swing. Several threshing crews commenced work the first of this week. All the farmers who grew grain this year report excellent crops.

SCOTTSDALE CLAIMS TO HAVE CHAMPION WORM HAY GROWER.
Scottsdale, Ariz., May 28.—The district, which is in the northeast corner of the Salt River valley, claims to have the champion hay grower of the world. Mrs. J. A. Rankin conducts a 195 acre farm and specialises in alfalfa. She has 40 acres of alfalfa which is always shown to visitors as a sample of what Scottsdale soil will do when properly handled.

ASSURANCE QUIETS ALARM OF PUBLIC

Those Startled by Recent Announcement Are Now Delighted.

One could almost hear the cry of "wield" that went up from the public when it was announced that the National Newspaper Syndicate's representative, The El Paso Herald, would distribute cyclopedias to its readers. "Another cyclopedia" was the protest, and looking backward, the reader could see with the mind's eye what endless procession of cyclopedias offered which has invaded many homes with persistent pleas for payment, which resulted in the books being but little used and allowed to collect dust undisturbed.

During the last few days those who have read the announcements carefully or who have called at The Herald office and inspected the volumes, are delighted to learn that their fears have not been justified.

People's Cyclopedias is not only a work which every common sense individual wants, but is one that everybody uses. There has been no waste of energy in compiling useless material to swell the volume, so that they would seem bulky, but every phrase, word, sentence, and line is absolutely essential to the concrete presentation of facts has been eliminated, and the meanings made more clear by the addition of beautiful illustrations.

The National Newspaper Syndicate's allotment for El Paso may be exhausted before the end of the week, when the offer must positively end. In the meantime, coupons should be presented at Herald office and, if not convenient to call, send the coupon as per announcement on another page of this issue. Clip the coupon and present it today.

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REPUBLICANS IN NEW MEXICO ARE MIXING MEDICINE

Careful Plans Being Laid For This Year's Campaign; Hope For Victory.

Santa Fe, N. M., May 28.—Political medicine mixing is now the order of the day among New Mexico Republicans and at the time elections for the state and the fall campaign there is much speculation as to probable nominations.

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inations for congressman, state corporation commissioner and members of the lower house of the state legislature.

Republican leaders are fully alive to the fact that on the showing they make the coming fall depends largely their chances for success in the next state election, which takes place in 1916. With this in view, care is to be taken in the nomination of candidates and the platform to be adopted. With the right men for candidates, they believe victory will be certain at the polls in November.

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his friends believe he would accept such an opportunity to fight for vindication of his record as governor.

Frank Springer for Senator.
Rumblings that Frank Springer is being centered on for the first vacancy in the United States senate from New Mexico are heard. Springer is an East Las Vegas man, and has not been active in state politics for some years, spending a large part of his time in Washington. His brother, Charles Springer, of Cimarron, is one of the dominating factors in Republican affairs, and the name of Springer is one to conjure with.

Judge Reynolds Agreed On.
The more the name of Judge Herbert P. Reynolds of Albuquerque is mentioned for governor the more it becomes apparent he will have little if any opposition for the party nomination two years hence. Judge Reynolds is neither a conservative nor a radical, and it is argued this makes him a logical candidate for governor and one sure to unite all factions. Being a member of the judiciary he has not

mixed in local or state politics and is therefore aligned with no faction or coterie of politicians with axes to grind.

Spiess Goes to Europe.
Charles A. Spiess, Republican national committeeman, has left for a visit to his birthplace in Germany, where he will spend six weeks or more. Usually one of the leaders to take the initiative in party affairs in the state, he is this year leaving the plans for the campaign to Herbert W. Clark, state chairman, and the latter's advisors.

TWO MAY FACE CHARGE OF KILLING PUEBLO MERCHANT.
Pueblo, Colo., May 28.—Coroner Patterson this afternoon presided at an inquest over the body of Max Newman, a merchant who died Wednesday night from injuries sustained when he was attacked by two bandits in his store here a month ago. George McDonald and Lemma Gross, who have been in jail accused of the assault, now face charges of murder in the first degree.

MORE COUNTERFEIT VILLA MONEY BEING CIRCULATED

Further attempts to flood El Paso with counterfeit Villa money are being made, the police say. Unless some definite ruling is announced the officers do not know what action to take. The city detectives some time ago made several arrests in connection with the circulation of alleged counterfeit Villa money, but as yet no disposition of the cases has been made.

SIoux CITY TEAM SIGNS UP ALBUQUERQUE INDIAN.
Albuquerque, N. M., May 28.—Harold Clark, a full blood Pueblo Indian, was signed today by the Sioux City Western league team and will leave to join the team June 2. Clark, as pitcher for the local government Indian school team, has shown remarkable form. In a recent game with the state university he won a victory with 21 strikeouts.

Drop in at Optic Market and see how sanitary things are kept—Advertisement.

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YOU MAY not march in the parade, but if you are one of the "by-standers" you want to be as well dressed as usual.

There's no occasion when a gentleman can afford to look anything less than his best.

If you haven't been here to see what we have for you in new models of Summer suits, it's about time you were getting around. We have Hart Schaffner & Marx, Rogers Peet and "Fitform" fine clothes here; the finest clothes made anywhere in the world; all the fabrics are all-wool; the tailoring is the best known; the style-designing is the work of experts.

If you haven't seen the new fabrics, you ought to. New things from England and Scotland; the best from America: plaids, checks, stripes, plain weaves; serges, chevrons, tweeds, worsteds. The display of fine weaves is complete and interesting.

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Two New Lots of Summer Blouses Added to The Twice-a-Year Blouse Event

Values to \$8.50 at \$2.95. Values to \$12.50 at \$3.95

ARTISTIC Blouses—direct copies of models which Paul Poiret sends to an American Blouse manufacturer each month. Of Pussy Willows, Shadow Laces, Crepe de Chines, Chiffons, Taffetas, Jap Silks, Fancy Flowered Silk Crepes, etc.,—made with the extreme simplicity and uncommon cut for which Poiret is famous. Also with large comfortable armholes and in charming colors. Usually at wholesale they cost twice as much as our retail price for tomorrow. The reason for this lucky purchase—It is the end of the manufacturer's spring season. He has made up the remainder of his materials in his regular models at great concessions in price. Two grand lots—
Values to \$8.50 at \$2.95; values to \$12.50 at \$3.95.

The Basement Offers Summer Blouses at 50c

WE found a manufacturer who had over 500 new Spring and Summer Blouses left on his hands through canceled orders. In the collection there are Blouses with high and low necks, with long and short sleeves, materials are voile, lawn and batiste—some trimmed with dainty laces and embroideries, others embroidered in dainty new designs. We have added to this great lot some soiled and mended Blouses from our special 50c line. Blouses that would ordinarily sell at 50c to \$1.25; any of them in this 50c sale

Eight More Wonderful Lots That Deserve Especial Mention

- LOT 1—**
BLOUSES of sheer corded and plain Voiles. Lawns and Crepes—many with embroidered fronts; high and low necks; long and short sleeves; open back or front; some trimmed with lace and buttons; others with embroidery and tucks. A splendid assortment and values that are worth to \$1.95, at 95c
- LOT 2—**
A CHARMING assortment of dainty Blouses in soft Crepes and Voiles, and some in Allover Embroidery; long and short yokes, low necks and short sleeves; finished off with pretty laces, ruchings, fancy buttons, etc. Blouses that ordinarily would sell up to \$2.95. Sale price \$1.29
- LOT 3—**
A BEAUTIFUL collection of the season's newest Blouses; one of the prettiest assortment we have ever gathered together. Plain and fancy Crepes and Voiles; plain and tucked lingerie, allover embroidery models, odds and ends in white silk blouses and fancy striped wash silk habutai blouses. Values to \$3.50 at \$1.95
- LOT 4—**
HANDSOME blouses that reflect the newest ideas for spring. Hand embroidered Voiles, prettily embellished in lace edges and insertions; allover embroidered blouses, blouses of tucked voile, and others of white voiles trimmed in extra colored heavy laces. Over 25 styles to choose from. Values to \$4.95, at \$2.45
- LOT 5—**
THERE'S a wide variety of Blouses in this group! All the very newest makes and materials, plain voiles and crepes, shadow laces and flowered and plain crepe de chins. The cotton blouses are trimmed with laces, embroidery work and tucks. Values to \$5.50 at \$2.95
- LOT 6—**
A CHARMING lot of Novelties in Blouses; such materials as fancy crepes, embroidered voiles, plain crepe de chins, chiffon and shadow laces, and very soft sheer lingerie; some elaborately trimmed with Irish crochet and chunky laces; long and short sleeves, high and low necks. Values to \$7.50 at \$3.95
- LOT 7—**
TRANSPARENT blouses of voile, crepe, glass cloth and other sheer fabrics. The sheerness of some of these garments requires underwear of unusual delicacy. Many of these blouses show the basques or peplums, simulating in no small degree the tunic effect which is so fashionable in dresses. Values to \$8.50 at \$4.95
- LOT 8—**
Dainty Blouses of flowered crepe de chine; large colored floral effects on white and maize grounds; some have white embroidered organdie collar and cuffs, others with accordion pleated collar of self material; new Poiret sleeves, amber buttons, black moire tie. Extraordinary values at, each \$5.95

Saturday Specials in Wash Goods

Both White and Colored—Second Floor

- NUB STRIPE WASH CREPE**—Is a white ground material with raised stripes of blue, pink, black, lavender, etc.; 38 in. wide, and is cool and serviceable for warm weather. 59c
- SATURDAY SPECIAL, YARD** 59c
- GUARANTEED FAST COLOR DRESS CREPES**—Japanese, hand woven stripes and checks—the ideal cloth for beach wear, and also excellent for children's wear. 15c
- SATURDAY SPECIAL, YARD** 15c
- RATINE**—Solid color, mixtures and striped ratine. Washable material for house and street wear. Especially good for children's wear. Special for Saturday 18c
- SPECIAL LINES OF WASH FABRICS**—Including uncrushable laces, velvets, chambray laces, natural lines and Ramie laces.
- WHITE CROSS BAR DIMITY**—Assorted checks and bars. Regular 12 1/2c. Just the material for cool, low priced wash dresses. Saturday special, yard 9c
- AYESHA NAINSOOK**—39 inches wide, also our famous 26 1/2 nainsook, 36 inches wide. Bolts of 10 and 12 yards respectively. Saturday extra special \$1.95

Saturday Offerings in the Boys' Store

- Read Every One of These Items:**
- SPECIAL VALUES IN IVAN FRANK SUITS**—For Saturday, including unlined coats in lightest summer weights of woolen cashmeres, serges and worsteds; full roomy bloomers; sizes 7 to 18 years. Extra special at \$4.95, \$5.85 and \$6.95
- SPECIAL VALUES IN WASH SUITS**—In Buster Brown, sailor blouse, middie, French middie, vestee and Oliver Twist styles, at 95c, \$1.45 and \$1.95 (Sizes 2 to 10 years, white or colors.)
- PALM BEACH SUITS**—Ask to see the new Palm Beach Washable Norfolk suits for boys 6 to 15 years. Price \$5.00
- BOYS' WOOLEN KNICKERBOCKERS**—Full peg top cut; sizes 7 to 17 years; light summer weight \$7.50
- BOYS' SOISETTE BLOUSES**—"Mother's Friend" make in white only; size 8 to 16 years; \$1.00 value \$59c
- HEADWEAR**—Bargains in wash and straw headwear in Tyrol, Rah Rah and Telescope shapes; values up to \$2.00, at 50c
- NEW ASSORTMENT OF BOYS' PLAYSUITS**—In Indian, scout, soldier or baseball suits and cowboy suits; also indian tents. Prices on play suits \$1 to \$4.50. Tents \$2.50 to \$9.50, according to size.

SALE OF \$3.00 CORSETS SATURDAY \$2.45

IT is a truism that a good corset makes the gown attractive. Most women, remembering this, seem to be willing to pay as much as possible for their corsets in order to get models with good lines, which will hold their shape. In this Saturday Sale of Corsets we offer a number of our regular models from regular makers at prices possible very rarely. Among them are corsets for all summer seasons, and it would not be a bad idea to lay in a supply that will last all season. Warner's Rust Proof, Rango Belt, Regis, American Lady and Thompson's Glove Fitting \$3.00 Corsets at \$2.45

Discontinued Patterns of Royal Society Package Goods on Sale at Half the Printed Price.

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Gloves, Neckw'r Ribbons and Veils

- SILK GLOVES**—18 button length silk gloves in black and white only. Saturday 35c
- LISLE GLOVES**—16 button length lisle gloves in white only. 25c
- SILK GLOVES**—Broken lines and sizes of two clasped silk gloves, in black, white and many of the wanted colors. 25c
- WOMEN'S SAMPLE NECKWEAR**—At about one-half the original value. Dainty cool styles so much desired for the warmer days. Made of the light weight laces, nets, organdies, voiles, crepes, etc. Dutch and sailor collars, collar and cuff sets; fichus, guimpes and chemisettes. 25c Values 15c 50c Values 25c
- RIBBON REMNANTS**—Short lengths and remnants of hair bow and sash ribbons in a variety of novelty plaids, stripes, brocades and pompadour effects. Lengths 1 to 3 yards at about 1-2 the original value.
- VEILS**—2 1/2 inch selvage border chiffon auto or tourist veils, in white and colors. Regular \$3.50 \$1.95
- VEILS**—Shetland and light weight lace drape veils, in black, white and colors. Special 45c

After Supper Sale 6 to 8:30 O'clock

- LISTERINE**—Lambert's regular \$1.00 size bottle of Listerine. After Supper Sale a bottle 63c (Limit 1 bottle.)
- FACE POWDER**—The well known La Blache Face Powder in the After Supper Sale at a box 33c (Limit 2 boxes.)
- PIVER'S TOILET WATER**—In assorted odors. After Supper Sale, a bottle 65c (Limit 1 bottle.)

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